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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1912.

THE GOVERNMENT'S NAVAL POLICY.

1. Does the Government intend to propose the repeal of the Naval Service Act?
2. If so, does the Government intend, in case of such repeal, to propose another Act containing the policy of the Government in matter?
3. If such other Act is proposed, is it the intention of the Government to submit the same for the approval of the people before being put into force?
These three questions appeared on the order paper of the House this week, the enquirer being Mr. Mondou, a French-Canadian member representing the constituency of Yamaska, and a supporter of the Government. The intentions of the Government with regard to a naval policy have on more than one occasion been defined, but in view of the fact that irresponsible rumors are still being set afloat by journals and speakers opposed to the Government the clear and explicit explanation given by Mr. Hazen, the naval Minister, in his reply, is worth putting on record.

He said: "The answer to each of these three questions is—'Yes.' After such consideration and inquiry as may be necessary, the Government will present its naval policy to Parliament and to the people. That policy will undoubtedly require legislation which will involve the repeal of the present Naval Service Act. In the meantime that Act will remain on the statute book for purposes in connection with the Fishery Protection Service and otherwise. Before any permanent naval policy is put into force, the people will be given an opportunity to pronounce upon it."

This definite announcement of the Government's intentions will be received with general satisfaction throughout the country. As an instance of Mr. Borden's consistency it is worth while to recall the Prime Minister's own statement of his position on the naval question when he was leader of the Opposition in Parliament a year ago. He told the House of Commons that if a Conservative Government found itself in power it would take steps to consult with the British Government and ascertain whether the conditions then existing were or were not so grave as to require immediate and effective aid. If the circumstances did require such aid, it would be given. If Parliament refused it he would appeal to the people.

Mr. Borden continued: "If Canada and the other Dominions are to take part as nations in this Empire in defence of the Empire as a whole, shall it be that we, contributing to the defence of the whole Empire, shall have absolutely no voice whatever in the Councils of the whole Empire with regard to the condition of peace and war throughout the Empire. I do not think that would be a tolerable condition. I do not think that the people of Canada would, for one moment, submit to such a condition. Would the members of this House, representative men, representing 221 constituencies, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, submit to a condition whereby not one of them would have the same voice with regard to these Imperial issues as the humblest taxpayer in the British Isles has at this moment? A condition of this kind would not stand for the integrity of the Empire, for the closer co-operation of the Empire. A permanent policy would have to be worked out. Then, when the permanent policy had been worked out, and explained to the people of Canada, it would be the right of any Government to go to the people to get them to pronounce their mandate."

Commenting on this statement by Mr. Borden, a writer in the current issue of the Round Table, a quarterly review of the politics of the British Empire, pays him the following tribute:
"There is the statement of a man who never acts upon impulse, who speaks with infinite caution, who never indulges in the rhetoric of after-dinner Imperialists, who has a profound insight into the genius of British institutions, who has a deep and solemn conception of the responsibilities of the British Empire and of the duty of Canada to contribute towards the security and solidity of the Imperial structure."

The decision of the Government means that another pre-election pledge is to be carried out. The Borden Government in this respect affords a notable and agreeable contrast to the Administration which preceded it.

THE PROVINCIAL REVENUE.

The Opposition press has attempted to make a feature of the fact that the expenditures of the Province for the year 1911 were greater than the income. On this they have a charge of extravagance on the part of the Government. The charge is groundless. Had the Government chosen to pursue the policy of neglect that marked the former Administration it might easily have closed its books for the year with a surplus of revenue over expenditure of \$150,000. The policy pursued since the present Administration came into power was to improve the roads and make the bridges of the country safe. With this end in view the Government has expended upwards of half a million dollars, the greater part of which need not have been spent had the late Government done its duty to the people and not frittered away the public money to keep themselves in office. There never was such a scandalous waste of public money as marked the administration of the Public Works Department of this Province in the last years of the old Administration. Not only did they spend every dollar they were authorized by the Legislature to expend, but added nearly three-quarters of a million to the permanent debt besides in this department alone. The whole story makes a record of inefficiency and wholesale political grafting unexampled only by the Central Railway deal in the history of the Province—a record that will make New Brunswick blush for years to come for the acts of their political leaders of that period. Notwithstanding the large increase in the expenditures of the present Administration for public works, there has not been a single dollar added to the permanent debt.

It was possible to do this because of the large increase in the territorial revenue of the Province. Here is a comparative statement of the revenue collected by the old Government and the present Administration:

Old Government.	Present Government.
1908.....\$359,396.95	1908.....\$343,292.77
1909.....304,312.41	1909.....395,282.53
1910.....221,551.49	1910.....494,491.54
	1911.....528,429.01

The constant increase in the territorial revenue is in the lowest administration of the Crown lands of this Province and the collection of the stumpage on the

lumber cut. The old Government only collected about one-half of the stumpage from their political friends. Since the change of Government all Crown land licenses have been treated alike and the Province has benefited greatly financially.

THE TIMES AND COMMISSION.

The Evening Times continues to indulge its habit of administering editorial scoldings to those who differ from it as to the merits of the commission plan of government for St. John and, in pursuance of this diversion, it occasionally makes The Standard the objective point of its shafts. Just to give the editor of the Times a change of scene, we heartily commend to his prayerful consideration the following opinion from the Montreal Gazette of Tuesday. Referring to the St. John case, and the shortcomings of the new city charter, the Gazette says:

"St. John, N. B., papers are criticizing a citizens' committee which was entrusted with the duty of preparing a new charter for the city, but the result of whose work the members refuse to submit to the citizens. The peculiarities of the St. John case are not clearly understood. It seems to be one of a class, however. Just now in America a great many well meaning people have become possessed of the idea that the whole people are not fit to govern themselves through representatives they elect, and, therefore, that it is necessary for select bodies to take over the task and there are movements to suppress councils and establish commissions, sometimes elected, sometimes appointed by politicians. All such schemes must end in failure. The people's blunders are often bad and costly; but the people who suffer by them can correct them; and this is the one advantage of democracy over carism. It should not be given up."

The Gazette's view, whether correct or not, has at least the merit of being unprejudiced. The advocacy of the Times can hardly claim as much. Past experience with that journal has shown the people of St. John that when it becomes particularly agitated over any question there is generally a bulky Ethiopian lurking somewhere in the underbrush.

Current Comment

(Ottawa Citizen.)

It is sincerely to be hoped that if the present Government should ever become such a well balanced combination of graft and inefficiency as the late Laurier Government, that the people of Canada, irrespective of party, will have sense enough to smite it hip and thigh. This reflection is prompted by a discussion in the House of Commons last week on the subject of British Columbia fisheries. The condition to which the British Columbia fisheries have been reduced by the stupid inefficiency and picaresque grafting of the late Government, as revealed by the condition in which they have been taken over by the present Government, is enough to make Canadians ashamed of the manner in which we as a nation squander our resources. Perhaps the worst of it is that if the late Laurier Government had not run its head into the Reciprocity noose a majority of the people of Canada would still have been busily voting for it.

(Manchester Guardian.)

Mr. Labouchere was a "bonny fighter," but sometimes his habit of dropping into personalities hurt his own side. A correspondent sends an example. We were fighting a tough editorial battle, he writes. Liberal hopes were running high, and Mr. Labouchere, the idol of the Radicals in the constituency, and expected soon to attain cabinet rank, was invited as a "star" speaker. His appearance, wearing the turndown blue-and-white striped collar which he invariably affected, was greeted with boisterous enthusiasm. But soon we "caught a chill." Here is how our "star" began: "Well I know your Tory candidate's father very well and how he has come to be the parent of such an arrant fool as his son I can't for the life of me make out." "That's done up," said the Liberal candidate, sotto voce; and it had.

(Vancouver News-Advertiser.)

It is hard to understand why the Madero Government would allow a few hundred insurgents to take possession of the town of Juarez. The place is easy to reach by a national force and if Madero has an army on which he can rely he would not be expected to allow six or eight hundred revolutionists to control the whole neighborhood. The president says that he can easily send a force to recapture Juarez. Time will tell whether this is so. Diaz made light of such occupation by Madero himself, but Diaz finally fled to Europe without making a serious fight. There is no doubt that the activity and local successes of the new insurgents have given the outside world an impression that Mexico has not yet reached a period of stable government.

(Calgary Herald.)

The British mining owners will be forced to concede the principle of a minimum wage for underground workers, and their concession will probably end the present strike. Providing the minimum principle is reasonably safeguarded as to the quality of the work, it will be endorsed by public sentiment, and the owners would take a great responsibility in refusing it. The British Government, true to its strong labor affiliations, has lost no time in intimating to the operators that they must grant this principle. It will now remain with the union to assist in a settlement by generous consideration of details and by seeing that adequate protection is given to the owners in regard to the conditions under which the minimum wage will be established.

(New York Sun.)

The new Indian money which has been struck at the Indian mint and issued at the moment of the royal visit has several interesting features. To begin with, the obverse shows the King-Emperor wearing a crown. This is due to the Oriental sentiment which attaches to head-dress. The natives of India thought that the coins of King Edward were somewhat shorn of their dignity without the emblem of sovereignty. In the new rupee piece the King-Emperor is crowned and is shown to be wearing the colors of the Star of India and the Indian Empire orders. The design on the reverse of the coin has the rose, shamrock and thistle supporting the lotus flower, and the Indian emblem naturally has the most conspicuous place.

(Montreal Gazette.)

A Russian with an unpronounceable name was arrested for walking along the streets of Philadelphia in his bare feet when the thermometer was 15 degrees above zero. The policeman thought the man was insane, but he convinced Magistrate Morris he wasn't and the court discharged him. The decision is one of many upholding the liberty of the subject. A man should be allowed to go abroad without shoes in any city, with the exception perhaps of New York. There he might attract the attention of the multitude of busy pedestrians and thus block traffic.

(Montreal Gazette.)

The appointment to the Lieutenant-Governorship of New Brunswick of Hon. Josiah Wood does honor to a man who has to his credit a long and useful record in Parliament. A capable and successful business man, who takes an interest in public affairs, local as well as general, he applied to his duties as a legislator the good sense that won him respect in private life. In his new office he will round out a worthy career.



THE Ancient Excuse
When Satan in the Garden crept
And tempted Eve to eat the fruit
At supplicating he proved adept
Upholding all his ill reports
But all his pleading was in vain
And useless all his glib skill
Until he sprung this old refrain
"IF YOU DON'T DO IT, SOMEONE WILL!"

And so, since history began
That phrase has helped to justify
Each wicked, cruel plot and plan
Against which men might raise a cry.
Assassins caught in murder red,
Robbers and traitors trapped in ill,
Ever these magic words have said,
"If I don't do it, SOMEONE WILL!"

Well brother, do you play it fair
Or rob and cheat at every chance?
Is your life run upon the square
Or full of devious circumstance?
Are you the sort too clean and proud
That do excuse the clinging to still?
Or do you patter with the crowd
"If I don't do it, SOMEONE WILL!"

MOST ANYTHING

One sweetly solemn thought
Comes to me o'er and o'er;
I'm nearer the opening game,
I'll wait but a few weeks more.
Nearer the grand stand seat,
"Mid the crispy peanut shells;
Nearer the old home plate,
Nearer the hoots and yells.

One wish pervades my soul,
One wish my heart entreains—
That I have that day the price
Of one of those front row seats.
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Well, Teddy's in the ring after his hat.
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Cheer up and court a merry smile,
A grooch is a sad affair;
And the frown that is spread all over
your face
May soon be frozen there.

Comparison.

(By Berton Braley.)
Most every town that you may know,
Has other towns to jeer at,
For Gotham says Chicago's slow,
Chicago loves to sneer at
Milwaukee's way; Milwaukee smiles
At Oshkosh folks and faces,
And Oshkosh ridicules the styles
In various smaller places.
Detroit on Kokomo looks down
And Boston hoots at "Philly,"
New Orleans jeers at Frisco town
Which laughs at Oakland shrilly.

Each city has a little joke,
Its bon mot, coarse or brainy,
For even Pittsburg, full of smoke,
Pokes fun at Allegheny.
And Halifax people have the crust
To say St. John is fated
To soon decay, reduced to dust,
A fate somewhat belated.

Comparisons are apt to be
A trifle underrated.
But when, like Halifax, we die
Here's hoping we're cremated.

And so it goes clear down the way
What smiting urban function,
The village calls the hamlet "jay"
The hamlet hoots the junction,
And you may look both far and near
And you'll discover no town
So small or slow that it don't jeer
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WINTER PORT STEAMERS. Sailings For St. John.

Table with columns: Steamers, Where From, Date. Includes Anapa, London, Feb. 10; Montezuma, Antwerp, Feb. 23; Man. Trader, Manchester, Feb. 24; Wilmate, Shields, Feb. 24; Lake Manitoba, Liverpool, Feb. 28; Montfort, Liverpool, Feb. 28; Monmouth, Liverpool, Mar 1; Montreal, London, Mar 1; Sokoto, Halifax, Mar 1; Virginia, Liverpool, Mar 1; Saturnia, Glasgow, Mar 2; Sardinian, Havre, Mar 2; Man. Mariner, Manchester, Mar 2; Rappahannock, London, Mar 2; Benin, Boston, Mar 4.

DAILY ALMANAC. Thursday, March 7, 1912.

Sun rises... 6.56 a. m. Sun sets... 6.14 p. m. High water... 2.13 a. m. Low water... 3.51 p. m. Atlantic standard time.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN. Arrived—Wednesday, Mar. 6.

Govt str Aberdeen, Blois, from Halifax. Schr Lucia Porter (Am) 285, Spragg from Calais, Me, P McIntyre, ballast. Coastwise—Str Bear River, 70, Woodworth, Bear River.

Cleared—March 6. Schr Harry Miller, 246, Granville, for City Island, for orders, Stetson Carter and Co, 313,442 feet spruce deals. Schr Blunness, 166, MacNamara, for Salem, for orders, John E Moore and Co, 186,524 feet spruce deals.

Coastwise—Str Bear River, Woodworth, Digby; Schr Harry Morris, Collins, St Martins; Susie Pearl, Black, do.

Sailed—March 6. Str Montrose, Webster for London. Str Manchester Inventor, Everet, for Norfolk, Va. Str Astarte, Young, for Parrsboro, NB.

Dominion Ports.

Victoria, BC, Mar 4—Steamed—Str River Fort, Melbourne. Dover, Mar 5—Arrived—Str Blackheath, Scot, New York. Sailed—Str Heathcote, Muir, Halifax.

Cleared—Schr Karmoe, McKinley, New York. Sailed—Str Stanley, Dalton (Govt) North Sydney to take mail to Magdalen Islands; 5th—Str Ocano, Coffin West Indies.

Liverpool, Mar 4—Cleared—Schr Evolution, McDonald, Portsmouth, NH. Dover, Mar 5—Arrived—Str Blackheath, Scot, New York. Sailed—Str Heathcote, Muir, Halifax.

British Ports.

Gibraltar, Mar 3—Sailed—Str Canopia, Boston. Dover, Mar 2—Passed—Str Thorsa (Nor), Hansen, Halifax for Hamburg. St Helena, Mar 4—Passed previously—Bark Arrow Melvor, Hong Kong, for Baltimore, and New York.

Kingston, Ja, Mar 1—Sailed—Schr Leaf, Spear, Moss Point. London, Mar 2—Sailed—Str Rappahannock, St John via Halifax. Manchester, Mar 2—Sailed—Str Manchester Mariner, St John via Halifax.

Foreign Ports.

Boston, Mar 4—Arrived—Str Benin, New Jersey. Sailed—Schr A. J. Sterling, Durant, St. John. Cleared—Bark Sunlight, Crowley, Macoris; Schr Collector, Wilkie, Lunenburg, NS.

New York, Nov 4—Arrived—Schr Jessie Lena, St John; 5th—Alceae, Liverpool, NS.

Rockland, Mar 4—Arrived—Str Morten, Lousburg, NS.

Darling, St. John. Salem, Mar 2—Sailed—Schr Sardinian, St. John. Vineyard Haven, Mar 4—Sailed—Schr Moama, St. John.

Rotterdam, Mar 2—Sailed—Str Uranium, Halifax. Mobile, Mar 4—Arrived—Schr Lux of Avon, Havana; C W Mills, Auk Cayes.

Notice to Mariners.

Notice is hereby given that the Lurcher shoal whistling buoy has been reported drift. It will be replaced soon as practicable.

NEWCASTLE—Brigantine Shoal Gas and whistling buoy No. 5 BS, correction for light list—Position of buoy—lat 39 deg 23 min 35 sec N; lon 74 deg 14 min 50 sec W.

Reports and Disasters.

Bremen, Feb 21—Bark Bonanza (NOR) from Santa Cruz, Cuba, with cedar wood, reports having met heavy weather in the Atlantic. Heavy seas broke the deck cargo drift and part was washed overboard. The decks and bulwarks were also damaged.

Dangers to Navigation.

Str Argentina (Aus) from Trieste, etc, reports Mar 1 lat 41 deg 03, lon 61 deg 20, passed a wreck bottom up, coppered apparently a fishing vessel, about 100 feet long, hull about 10 feet out of water; evidently but a short time in this condition.

Str Buckminster reports Feb 26, about 7 miles E (true) from Barnegat, just cleared a large mass of wreckage; too dark to distinguish clearly.

Str Georgian reports Feb 8, lat 38 18 N, lon 67 05 W, saw a large block of timber about 25 feet long and 3 feet square; also a quantity of small timber.

Shipping Notes.

Furness steamer Rappahannock left London last Friday for St. John via St. John's, Nfld., and Halifax. Manchester liner Manchester Mariner sailed from Manchester last Saturday for St. John via Halifax.

The Virginian sailed from Moville for Halifax and St. John on Friday with 68 first class, 468 second class and 972 third class passengers.

C. P. R. steamer Montrose left this port yesterday for London with a full freight.

Steamship Manchester Inventor, Captain Everest, cleared from this port for Norfolk, Va., to load a cargo of coal for a British coaling port.

A Sign of the Times

PEOPLE are becoming very careful about what they eat and drink—

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THE NEWS IN SHORT METER LOCAL.

A New Policeman. James H. Pitt yesterday returned to the police force and went on duty in Carleton. He was formerly a member of the force.

Narrowly Escaped Injury. A driver of one of the sleighs belonging to the new Steam Laundry narrowly escaped injury yesterday when, while coming down Elm street, the sleigh skidded, causing the horse to fall and throwing the sleigh against a telegraph pole.

Located in Montreal. McBraine Smith, formerly of Montreal, employed by the government in connection with the Murray Canal, a few days ago, has been located in Montreal where he has been visiting some friends. He was considerably surprised when told of the alarmist reports spread about his disappearance, and that the Dominion police were searching for him in fear that he had suffered foul play.

Funerals. Miss Alice Chesworth. The funeral of Miss Alice Chesworth took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her father, Beaver Lake road, to Fernhill, where interment took place. Ven. Archdeacon Raymond officiated at the burial services at the house and grave.

Mrs. Margaret Marshall. From the Waterloo street Baptist church the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Marshall was held yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. F. H. Wentworth pastor of the church, conducted burial services, after which the remains were interred in Fernhill.

Seventy Ninth Anniversary. Officers and members of York L. O. L. No. 3, are celebrating their 79th anniversary tonight by holding an open meeting at their room, Germain street. Addresses will be given by Rev. W. K. Robinson and Rev. Dr. Hutchinson, afterwards refreshments and music will be provided.

New Bridge Contracts. Fredericton, March 6.—H. M. Blair, secretary of the Provincial Board of Works, announced this morning that Chief Commissioner Morrissey had awarded the contracts for the construction of several important bridges. The largest and most important contract awarded was that for the construction of Hunter's Ferry Bridge, parish of Canning, Queens county, which was awarded to Frank L. Boone of St. Mary's, the contract price being in the vicinity of \$23,000. The contract for the Cole's Island bridge, also in Queens county, was awarded to Messrs. Robert and Charles Forbes of Gibson, the contract price being in the vicinity of \$7,000; while Mr. Boone has been awarded the contract for the construction of the Chase bridge, also in Queens county, the contract price being about \$3,500.

GENERAL. Queen Alexandra's Health. London, Mar. 6.—Bulletins issued by her physicians today say that the condition of Dowager Queen Alexandra is more encouraging and her recovery is believed to be assured.

Assassinated By Soldiers. Guayaquil, Ecuador, Mar. 6.—Gen. Julio Andrade, the military commander of Guayaquil, was assassinated at Quito last night by some of his soldiers.

Missionary Killed in China. Peking, Mar. 6.—A missionary named P. Day, belonging to the Church of England mission and attached to the Pao Ting Fu, was killed today by mutinous Chinese soldiers.

The Coal Miners' Strike. New York, N. Y., Mar. 6.—The fall rejection of the Island bridge contract by the coal operators, is expected to be followed by the submission of modified demands on the part of the mine workers. A committee of coal operators will at the conference with the workers next week submit their reply to the miners, rejecting the demands. The mine workers had expected that the demands

would be refused, but that the operators would offer a counter proposal.

A Spectacular Fire. Winnipeg, Mar. 6.—In a spectacular fire which started last night in the basement of the Gowans, Kent building on Main street, the building was destroyed entailing a loss of \$75,000. One half of the building was occupied by the Mason and Rich Piano Co., whose \$40,000 stock was almost completely destroyed.

DRESS TAKES FIRE WOMAN IS BURNED

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Morning Sales.

Cement Pfd., 20 @ 89.	
Canadian Pacific, 45 @ 228 1-2.	
Detroit, 50 @ 58 1-2.	
Dominion Iron Pfd., 164 @ 103.	
Winnipeg, 35 @ 259.	
Dominion Steel, 25 @ 59 1-8, 25 @ 59.	
Montreal Power, 1 @ 190, 10 @ 191.	
Ottawa Power, 10 @ 147, 15 @ 149.	
Coal Pfd., 20 @ 112.	
Montreal Cot. Pfd., 35 @ 100 1-4.	
Lake of the Woods, 3 @ 122.	
Mackay Pfd., 7 @ 70 1-2.	
Rio, 100 @ 115 1-4.	
Crown Reserve, 300 @ 205 1-2, 400 @ 306.	
Toronto Ralls, 80 @ 132.	
Penman, 45 @ 57.	
Lake of the Woods, 3 @ 133.	
Pulp, 125 @ 175, 75 @ 174, 25 @ 174 1-2, 75 @ 175.	
Col. Cot. Bonds, 5,000 @ 99 3-4.	
Quebec Bonds, 9,000 @ 77.	
Porto Rico Bonds, 1,000 @ 91 1-4.	
Textile Bonds "C" 250 @ 98.	
Bank of Nova Scotia, 2 @ 276 1-2, 18 @ 277.	
Merchants Bank, 1 @ 197 1-2.	
Bank of Hochelaga, 5 @ 163 1-2.	
Montreal Street, 500 @ 99.	
Cement Bonds, 2,000 @ 100.	

Afternoon.

Detroit, 25 @ 58 1-2.	
Dominion Steel, 25 @ 59, 50 @ 59 3-4, 10 @ 59, 125 @ 58 3-4, 100 @ 58 3-8.	
Twin City, 25 @ 107.	
Paint, 40 @ 37.	
Ogilvie, 20 @ 127.	
General Electric, 5 @ 113.	
Rich and Ontario, 75 @ 119 1-4.	
Rio, 225 @ 123 1-2, 5 @ 115 3-8, 20 @ 115 1-2, 3 @ 115 1-4, 25 @ 116.	
Toronto Ralls, 105 @ 133.	
Pulp, 104 @ 175.	
Quebec Bonds, 2,000 @ 77.	
Porto Rico Bonds, 5,000 @ 91 1-4.	
Textile Bonds "C" 1,000 @ 97.	
Bank of Hochelaga, 5 @ 163 1-2.	
Union Bank, 10 @ 162, 25 @ 162 1-4.	

MONTREAL UNLISTED SALES

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Morning.

LaRose, 50 at 390; Hill Crest Pfd., 50 at 78; Natl Brick Bds, 2000 at 79; Wyagamack Bds, 2500 at 72; W C Power, 1 at 58 1/2; 45 at 58.	
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Afternoon.

Wyagamack, 25 at 34 1/2; Wyagamack Bds, 1000 at 72.	
LaRose, 50 at 390.	
Brick Bonds, 78 1/2.	
Wyagamack, 34 1/2.	
Wyagamack Bds, 72 1/2.	
Hill Crest, 76 1/2.	
Tram Common, 50 @ 50 1/2.	

MONTREAL STOCKS.

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Can. Cement, 28 1/2 @ 28.	
Can. Pac., 228 1/2 @ 228 1/2.	
Crown Reserve, 56 1/2 @ 56 1/2.	
Dominion United, 103 1/2 @ 103 1/2.	
Dom. Steel, 58 1/2 @ 58 1/2.	
Dom. Steel Pfd., 103 @ 103.	
Dom. Textile, 66 1/2 @ 66 1/2.	
Hill Trac. Pfd., 123 @ 123.	
Lake Woods Com., 123 @ 123.	
Laurentide, 175 1/2 @ 175 1/2.	
Mex. L. and P., 82 @ 81.	
Mont. Power, 191 @ 190 1/2.	
Mont. Street, 235 @ 230.	
N. S. Steel, 95 @ 94.	
Ogilvie Com., 126 1/2 @ 126 1/2.	
Ottawa Power, 148 1/2 @ 147.	
Quebec Rall, 52 1/2 @ 50.	
Rich. and Ont., 119 1/2 @ 118 1/2.	
Rio Janeiro, 116 1/2 @ 116.	
Shawinigan, 124 @ 124.	
Tor. Rall, 134 @ 133 1/2.	
Twin City, 107 @ 106 1/2.	

Banks.

Bank of Commerce, 215 @ 215.	
Merchants Bank, 197 1/2 @ 197 1/2.	
East. Townships, 216 @ 215.	
Molson Bank, 210 1/2 @ 210 1/2.	
Bank of Montreal, 249 @ 249.	
Bank of Hochelaga, 163 1/2 @ 163 1/2.	
Bank of Nova Scotia, 277 @ 277.	

BOSTON STOCKS.

By private wire telegram to F. B. McCurdy and Co. Members of Montreal Stock Exchange.

Adventure, 7 1/2 @ 7 1/2.	
Allouez, 42 1/2 @ 42.	
Arizona Comm., 4 1/2 @ 4 1/2.	
Boston Corbin, 8 1/2 @ 8.	
Cal and Ariz., 62 1/2 @ 62.	
Cal and Hecla, 462 @ 453.	
Centennial, 21 @ 20.	
Daly West., 6 1/2 @ 6 1/2.	
Greene Cannana, 8 @ 7 1/2.	

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Giroux, 45-16 @ 44 1/2.	
Indiana, 16 @ 15 1/2.	
Blanco, 34 1/2 @ 34 1/2.	
Inspiration, 19 1/2 @ 19 1/2.	
Ile Royale, 21 1/2 @ 21 1/2.	
LaSalle Copper, 5 1/2 @ 5 1/2.	
Lake Copper, 37 1/2 @ 37 1/2.	
Manit., 24 1/2 @ 24 1/2.	
Mass Gas Cos. Pfd., 98 @ 98.	
Mass Elec Cos., 21 1/2 @ 21 1/2.	
Mass Elec Cos Pfd., 97 @ 96 1/2.	
Mohawk, 57 @ 56 1/2.	
Nipissing, 7 1/2 @ 7 1/2.	
North Brit., 27 1/2 @ 27 1/2.	
Old Dominion, 56 @ 55 1/2.	
Oceola, 116 @ 114.	
Quincy, 79 1/2 @ 79 1/2.	
Shannon, 12 1/2 @ 12 1/2.	
Sup and Boston, 3 1/2 @ 3 1/2.	
Shoe Machy., 50 1/2 @ 50 1/2.	
Superior Copper, 31 @ 30 1/2.	
Swift, 103 1/2 @ 103 1/2.	
Tamarack, 30 1/2 @ 30.	
Trinity, 6 1/2 @ 6 1/2.	
Utah Cons., 10 1/2 @ 10 1/2.	
U S S and L., 142 @ 137.	
U S S and L. S., 150 1/2 @ 150 1/2.	
U S M and Smelt. Pfd., 48 1/2 @ 48 1/2.	
U Utah Aux., 3 1/2 @ 3.	
United Fruit, 183 1/2 @ 183.	
Winona, 7 1/2 @ 7 1/2.	
Wolverine, 115 @ 115.	

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Acadia Fire, 100 @ 95.	
Acadia Sug. Pfd., 104 @ 100.	
Brand-Henderson Com., 20 @ 15.	
Cape Breton Elec Com., 60 @ 60.	
East. Can. S. and L., 142 @ 137.	
Eastern Trust, 100 @ 100.	
Hal. Cold Stor. Pfd., 101 @ 98.	
Halifax Fire, 100 @ 98.	
Mar. Tele. Pfd., 101 @ 98.	
N. B. Tele. Com., 104 @ 101.	
N S Car 1st Pfd., 3 @ 45.	
N S Car 2nd Pfd., 3 @ 33.	
N S Car 3rd Pfd., 3 @ 21.	
N S Car Com., 48 @ 46.	
Mar T and T Com., 104 @ 102.	
Stanfields Pfd., 63 @ 63.	
Trin Cons Tele. Com., 30 @ 30.	
Trinidad Electric, 77 @ 73.	

CLOSING STOCK LETTER.

By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

New York, March 6.—There was no fresh news of moment today to influence dealers in the stock market and in the absence of this general run of traders waited for some fresh initiative from the interests which have been responsible for the advancing tendency of prices. This was not forthcoming and it was even rumored that the clique of market operators who have been identified with the upward movement had closed out their commitments and retired. If this were true the market failed to show the weakness which might naturally be expected under the circumstances. There was merely a relapse into dullness without particular pressure or particular heaviness of tone. Prices reacted fractionally on the average, but certain stocks like New York Central and the Erie showed notable strength which might well reflect accumulation from good sources. The lack of response shown to rumors of an early settlement has been in local market calculations. Some talk was heard of a domestic strike in the anthracite mines, but this contingency has been anticipated and largely discounted. Good stocks appear to be a purchase on fair relations.

CHIGAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Wheat, High, Low, Close.	
May, 104 1/2, 103, 104 1/2.	
July, 98 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2.	
Sept., 96 1/2, 95 1/2, 96.	
Corn, High, Low, Close.	
May, 71 1/2, 70 1/2, 71 1/2.	
July, 71 1/2, 70 1/2, 71 1/2.	
Sept., 71 1/2, 70 1/2, 71 1/2.	
Oats, High, Low, Close.	
May, 53, 52 1/2, 53.	
July, 49 1/2, 48 1/2, 49.	
Sept., 41 1/2, 41 1/2, 41 1/2.	
Pork, High, Low, Close.	
May, 15.55, 15.72, 15.80.	
July, 16.22, 16.00, 16.10.	
Sept., 16.45, 16.25, 16.35.	

NEW YORK COTTON RANGE.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

March 6th, High, Low, Close.	
March, 10.26, 24, 25 to 26.	
May, 10.87, 24, 24 to 25.	
July, 10.60, 46, 46 to 47.	
Aug., 10.58, 47, 46 to 47.	
Sept., 10.60, 60, 61 to 62.	
Oct., 10.69, 57, 57 to 58.	
Dec., 10.77, 64, 64 flat.	
Jan., 10.70, 62, 59 to 61.	

BOSTON CURB STOCKS.

Bay State Gas, 27 @ 27.	
Boston Ely, 1 1/2 @ 1 1/2.	
Butte Cent., 6 1/2 @ 6 1/2.	
Chief, 1 1/2 @ 1 1/2.	
Cumberland Ely, 8 @ 8.	
LaRose, 3 1/2 @ 3 1/2.	
Ray Cent., 2 1/2 @ 2 1/2.	
R I Coal, 20 @ 20.	

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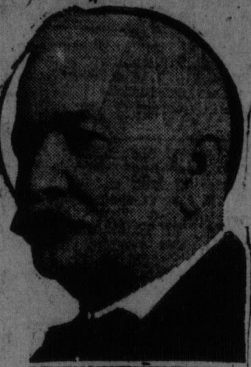
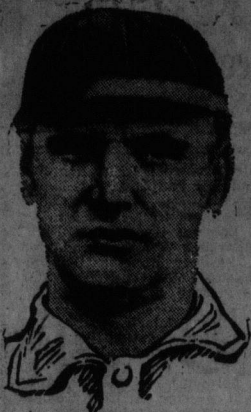
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These Men SOLD These MEN For \$750

CHARLES CARR.



W. H. WATKINS.

Value Today,
\$100,000

You are a major league manager, Mr. Fan, (in imagination). And you are attending an auction. Listen to the auctioneer. He is about to sell:

"Now, gentlemen, I offer a lot A 1, three pitchers. Grover C. Alexander, Marty O'Toole and "Buck" O'Brien. What am I offered?"

What would you offer Mr. Imaginary Manager?

Did you say \$100,000? Well you aren't off much in your idea of values.

If O'Toole, Alexander and O'Brien were really tossed onto the market together, any major league manager would willingly plank down the tenth part of a million to get them.

With these three on the firing line even the lowly Washington Nationals, or the equally humble Boston Nationals could take the pennant with them.

And yet W. H. Watkins, one of the

shrewdest minor league managers, who at one time was manager of a National league club, let this trio slip through his fingers for the measly sum of \$750. Yes and Charlie Carr, his manager, another man of native shrewdness, assented when "Watty" passed judgment.

"Watty" owns the Indianapolis club. He had O'Toole, Alexander and O'Brien on his pay roll at one time and couldn't see them with the Lick telescope. Watkins owned no clubs he could use as farms to ship the youngsters to for seasoning, so he sold them. Now he owns the Springfield and Newark clubs of the Ohio State and Central leagues, which he uses as farms.

It—and that little word represents the difference between the \$750 he received and the \$100,000 he might have received—Watkins had owned these

GROVER ALEXANDER.



"MARTY" O'TOOLE.

teams when he sold the three sensations, he might—but what's the use? Alexander is the mainstay of the Phillies this year.

"BUCK" O'BRIEN.

O'Toole is counted on to land the Pirates in front. O'Brien went to Boston and demonstrated he has class of the highest. He is regarded as a star this year.

WILL GIVE ABE CHANCE FOR TITLE

San Francisco, Cal., Mar. 6.—Johnny Kilbane, the new featherweight champion, announced here today his willingness to give Abe Attell an opportunity to regain the title, suggesting Labor day as a convenient date.

Kilbane's theatrical tour soon will land him in Cleveland where his home town friends have planned a reception.

HE WAS MISTAKEN.



"You are charged," said the policeman, "with having voted twice."

"Charged, am I?" muttered the prisoner. "That's odd. I expected to be paid for it."

Spring must be near, for the Boston National league ball team is talking of a first division berth.

SOME GOOD RACING AT ST. JOHN DURING CLUB MEET

A large crowd attended Moosepath track yesterday afternoon to witness the midweek card of the St. John Madras Driving Club. The programme consisted of three classes, Class A pacing, Class B trotting, and a free for all, upon which was centered the interest of the day by reason of the former speedway king, Jay Wilkes, making his first start this winter.

Class A pacers were first called on and Clayton Jr., the horse from Tracey Station, steered by Thos. Hayes had little trouble to win his class after the first heat.

Class B trotting with four starters was won by the black gelding Larry, owned by Mr. Wood in straight heats with John McCarthy's bay mare Maid M., taking second position.

The event of the day was the free for all, which took four heats to decide a winner and every heat was a horse race.

Wm. McDonald's black mare Pearl Barrymore had many admirers and in some quarters was picked for the winner of this event. Thos. Dean drove the mare a good race but Driver Charles behind Lena B. took the honors.

The appearance of Jay Wilkes with the veteran Wm. Brickley was the signal for much cheering indicating that he still had his share of admirers.

After some scoring the word for the first heat was given and the pace started fast and early. The Wilkes horse broke badly on the turn and Lena B. won the heat with Pearl Barrymore second and Jay Wilkes third.

The second heat was about a repetition of the first. Pearl Barrymore winning first position, Jay Wilkes second and Lena B. third.

It took considerable scoring to get them away the third heat, but when they got the word Jay Wilkes was on the job, coming home a winner with Lena B. second and Barrymore third. Things became very interesting now, and much money was wagered between the black mare and Jay Wilkes.

They were allowed twenty minutes to get ready for the fourth heat, and the suspense thus caused was almost unbearable for the rail-birds. After scoring a couple of times they were given the word and started the grind early and fast. In making the turn Jay Wilkes threw a shoe and out his quarter quite badly.

Lena B. won the heat and race with Jay Wilkes second and Barrymore third.

Summing up the result it is evident the accident to Wilkes placed him at a big disadvantage, still Lena deserved much credit for the race she went.

Summary:

Class A—Pacing.
Buster H. Geo. Stephenson . . . 3 3 3
Forrest W. W. A. Coleman . . . 1 2 2
Clayton, Jr., Thos. Hayes . . . 2 1 1

Class B—Trot.
Nellie B. H. Bond 3 4 3
Maud M. J. McCarthy 2 2 2
Larry, Wm. Wood 1 1 1

Free for all.
Pearl Barrymore, McDonald 2 1 3 3
Lena B. W. Broad 1 3 2 1
Jay Wilkes, Wm. Brickley . . . 3 2 1 2
Time 1:16, 1:16, 1:15, 1:15.

SCHOONER ALVENA MEETS SAND STORM

Schooner Encounters Remarkable Phenomena on Voyage from Columbia River to San Diego.

San Diego, Cal., March 5.—With its decks covered with an inch or more of sand and the officers and crew looking as if they had returned from a desert trip, the schooner Alvena, 27 days from the Columbia river, in command of Captain Abrahamson, arrived at San Diego this afternoon. While the vessel was coming along under a fair wind, 75 miles off shore and 125 miles north of San Diego last Sunday, it became enveloped in a cloud of fine sand. The sea was smooth and the wind from the southeast. The dust seemed to drop from the sky. These conditions prevailed for two days, according to the crew, and not until about Loma was sighted late yesterday afternoon did they get out of the dust. From that time until the schooner got to port, the crew was busy washing the accumulated sand off the lumber cargo and decks and setting the fine particles of grit out of their eyes and hair.

THREE YEARS STRIKE OF THE LAKE SEAMEN NEARS TERMINATION

Detroit, March 6.—A referendum vote against 14,000 sailors on the Great Lakes is now being taken at all lake ports by the Lake seamen, marine firemen, and the marine cooks and stewards' unions on a proposition to allow union members to work on boats regardless of "open shop" restrictions. Should the proposition be adopted it would practically end a strike of seamen that has been in effect for three years. The result will not be known for two weeks.

Did You Know—The phrase "Not worth a tinker's dam" comes from the fact that a tinker builds a dam of soft clay around a place to be flooded with solder. The dam is worthless after being once used.

Writing a Sea Tale. So let the main brace flutter free from off the mizzen peak. And go to prove that I am long on nautical technique. The jobcouse jib, the obstay gaff, are shipping terms, I beg. And serve to give a salty twang to stories of the sea.

Commanding Respect. What makes you keep telling funny stories to that girl? She doesn't laugh. "That's why I tell them. I get tired of the way she laughs at me when I try to be serious."

AQUATIC NOTES IN ENGLAND

London, Mar. 4.—Though neither of the university eights are definitely settled, each president has put his crew through a good deal of practice both in the tubbing line and in the eight work.

The boat race is not to be rowed until March 30, but the preliminary stages of the training are by no means the least important, and for advice at this period, Cambridge has the services of the famous light blue stroke, Capt. J. H. Gibbon, while Oxford, as usual, is under the care of Dr. Bourne.

Both crews have undergone numerous changes recently, but matters are settling down now, and the composition of each should be provisionally arranged before long.

Oxford at present looks like getting into a fixed combination before their rivals. This is undoubtedly owing to the fact that their stroke, R. C. Bourne, has taken up his old position in the boat. His arrival has enlivened the work, and with plenty of talent behind him one cannot but expect to see another fine dark blue crew take the water at Putney again this year.

Other likely members of the eight which will eventually represent the university are C. W. R. Littlejohn, A. F. R. Wiggins, L. G. Wormald, C. E. Tinne and H. B. Walls (cox). Those, with the exception of Wiggins, who was spare man, were all in the 1911 crew. Of the new oars, F. A. H. Pitman and A. H. Wedderburn seem likely.

Unlike Oxford, the light blues are in bad need of a stroke. It seems impossible that the president, R. W. M. Arbutnot, who occupied that position last year, will do so again, in which case it is difficult to think of anyone with sufficient experience and ability. Captain Gibbon, however, is sparing no efforts in this direction, and being an authority on the requirements of the stroke thwark should soon find a suitable man for the post. L. S. Lloyd, last year's spare man, may fill the position, but nothing will be decided for the moment. Other "old blues" who should be in the boat again are C. A. Skinner (cox), R. Le Blanc Smith, F. E. Hellyer and S. E. Swann. If only the light blue crew can settle down soon there is no reason why they should not be a good combination for they possess a quantity of good talent.

WITH THE BOWLING LEAGUES

On Black's alleys last night there was only one game, when Brock and Paterson's team took the M. R. A.'s into camp to the tune of a point.

The scores:

Brock and Paterson.					
Ryan	93	87	98	273	92 2 3
Mahoney	93	90	101	284	94 2 3
MacMichael	38	82	88	208	86
Paterson	101	79	92	272	92 2 3
Masters	82	92	107	281	93 2 3
	457	420	486	1373	

M. R. & A.

Morrissey	76	88	98	262	87 1 3
Cooper	76	73	81	230	76 2 3
Coram	82	79	88	249	83
Ward	84	77	89	250	83 1 3
Berry	80	90	81	251	83 2 3
	398	407	437	1242	

There was no game in the city league.

Tonight the St. John Bowling Club will hold their monthly roll-off on the alleys, and all the members are requested to be on hand at 7.30 o'clock.

AMHERST EN ROUTE TO BOSTON.

The Amherst Hockey team which played here Monday night passed through the city yesterday afternoon en route to Boston, where they will play Harvard College team, after which they will proceed to New York to play a game there. A number of the St. John hockey players were at

HELMET SAVES LIFE OF ARMY AVIATOR

Lieutenant Kennedy's Head Makes Hole in Ground Six Inches Deep When Machine is Wrecked.

Augusta, Ga., March 5.—The leather helmet which army aviators are required to wear saved the life of Lieutenant Frank M. Kennedy, who fell from a Curtiss biplane at the Signal Corps Aviation School, at Augusta, Ga., on February 19, according to report made to the War Department today by Captain Charles De F. Chandler, in charge of the school.

Lieutenant Kennedy was thrown forward about fifteen feet when the front wheel and the fork of the machine ploughed into the ground, and the impact of his head made a hole in the ground about six inches in depth. The aeroplane turned completely over, coming to rest with the top plane flat on the ground, wheels above and rear rudder on the aviator's back.

Lieutenant Kennedy is still in the City Hospital at Augusta. No bones are broken, and his recovery is progressing as well as can be expected.

IT WAS A GOOD EGG BUT ACTED ROTTEN

Los Angeles, Mar. 4.—The extreme East Fourth street neighborhood is divided into factions today because Mrs. Katherine Barabos' hen laid an egg in Mr. E. Jordan's front yard. Mrs. Jordan claimed the egg. Mrs. Barabos disputed the claim. Each threatened to obtain attorneys to guard her constitutional rights. When the neighbors took sides and threatened internecine warfare the police were called to make an award. The egg is reposing in a pigeonhole in Sergeant Wehrler's desk, pending research by a deputy city attorney.

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CHESS

San Sebastian, Spain, March 4.—After eight rounds of the international chess masters' tournament here, in which Frank J. Marshall, chess champion of the United States, is taking a prominent part, Rudolph Spielman of Munich, the winner of the recent international gambit tournament at Abasco, has made a remarkable showing, having met eight opponents without suffering a single defeat, with a total score of six points out of a possible eight.

Marshall of New York has thus far made an even score in seven games played.

A Fighting Chance. All men are born free and equal, remarked the politician. They may be born equal, observed the father of eight votes, but they're not born free. For every one of mine I have to pay the physician \$10.

LARGE PURSE OFFERED

Boston, Mass., Mar. 5.—A. J. Welch, owner of the Readville race track, announced last night the programme of early-closing events for Readville's grand circuit meeting the last week in August. In stakes alone \$25,000 will be hung up, or nearly twice as much as a year ago. The feature event will again be the American Trotting Derby, the value of which has been increased from \$5000 to \$10,000.

Tragedies Told in Headlines. Bouncing Twins Born to Society Leader. Toothless Burglar Steals Frozen Mince Pie; Bites Off More Than He Can Chew. Dancing Master Tries to Whip His Wife; She Walzes Him to Police Station. Recipient of Comic Valentine Recognizes Handwriting of Sender, Who Is Now in Hospital.

Exploited. Stranger—What a dear child! How tenderly she kisses her sister's hand. Willie—Kiss nuthin'! Her sister is packer in a candy factory.

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Grande Ligne, Que., Jan. 2nd, 1910 "My wife was greatly distressed for three years with chronic Eczema on the hands, and the disease was so severe that it almost prevented her from using her hands. The doctor gave her several ointments to use, but none of them did any good. He also advised her to wear rubber gloves and she wore out three pairs without getting any benefit. As a last resort, I persuaded her to try "Fruit-a-lives" and the effect was marvellous. Not only did "Fruit-a-lives" entirely cure the Eczema, but the Asthma which she suffered from was also completely cured.

"Fruit-a-lives" is the only medicine in the world made of fruit juices and valuable tonics, and is the greatest of all blood-purifying remedies. 50c. a box—6 for \$2.50—or trial glass, 25c. At all dealers or from Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

WOMAN IS DYING AS RESULT OF FIRE IN QUEBEC HOSPITAL

Quebec, March 6.—As a result of a fire which broke out this morning Mrs. Omer Clement is dying at the Hotel Dieu. Her clothes caught fire, and although she rolled herself up in blankets and bed spreads her burns appear to be fatal. Damage to the extent of several thousand dollars was done by the flames.

A Tame Story. First Commuter—I bought this book "What He Told His Wife," at the news-stand. Thought it might be

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RISE OF PRICES ON MARKET HALTED

New York, N. Y., Mar. 6.—The reactionary trend manifested by yesterday's late market continued today and was punctuated by frequent periods of absolute inertia. For want of stronger reasoning the street chose to attribute the halt in the market's upward progress to developments in the coal situation at home. This line of reasoning was little short of puerile, inasmuch as all advance information on the subject had indicated a flat and emphatic rejection of the original demands of the anthracite workers. As matters now stand, it is believed the miners will endeavor to reopen negotiations by modifying their programme. It is expected that the mine owners and coal carriers will readily consent to a resumption of conferences under such conditions.

Other news of the day include the renewal of the exports to Paris, further activity on the part of the interstate commerce commission in penalizing several railroads for alleged violations, a list of failures for February which broke all records but one for the month in many years, and an announcement that mill owners in New Hampshire intend to advance wages as was done last week in the neighboring state of Massachusetts. Two Vanderbilt railroads, Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, and Pittsburgh and Lake Erie, declared extra dividends, such action being reflected in the strength of New York Central and three industrial corporations, including the Rubber Goods Manufacturing Company and the Old Dominion Company, the latter a copper concern, increased their dividend disbursements.

National banks in the west and southwest submitted reports of their condition to the comptroller of the currency at Washington pursuant to a recent call. Texas institutions are generally well above the required 25 per cent. reserve, while the showing of banks in some of the larger cities, namely Chicago and Pittsburg and in the states of Wisconsin and Kansas, is less satisfactory. In no section, however, is the huge extension of credits which marked the situation two years ago likely to be repeated. Word received from Washington points to at least another fortnight delay in the beginning of the money trust investigation. The recognition trade authority declares that February's output of finished iron and steel was slightly larger than that of January. The only development of the current week was the heavy purchase of raw materials by some of the more important manufacturers. Copper trade conditions remain unchanged and only a small reduction of stock on hand is expected in the February report of the producers, which will be issued on Friday.

London cables offered little encouragement in connection with the coal strike and Berlin advices spoke of

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

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"GREAT JOHN GANTON" WAS GREAT SUCCESS

Myrtle-Harder Co. Scored Big Success Before Record Audience at Opera House Last Evening.

"The Great John Ganton," the truest story ever told, was presented last evening in the Opera House by the Myrtle-Harder Company, before a large audience including the Mystic Shriners who attended in a body. The play is a powerful one, with limitless possibilities for clever acting. That the members of the cast had a true conception of the requirements of the piece and took advantage of every possibility, was evidenced by the faithful interpretation they gave their roles. Principals and subordinates alike gave excellent account of themselves, and the whole play was a distinct success, the players holding their audience attentive and interested from start to finish.

The production was undeniably one of the best as well as most enjoyable of the season. The Great John Ganton is already a familiar piece to St. John patrons inasmuch as it has been produced by this same company on previous appearances here. Last night's presentation, however, was even more finished than previous ones. Miss Myrtle further enshrined herself in the hearts of local theatre goers by her artistic work last night, and from the clever associates whom she has grouped around her she received most capable support. The Great John Ganton, as it is produced by the Myrtle-Harder Company, will lose none of its popularity by repetition. The play will be presented for the last time this afternoon and evening.

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NOISY SOMETIMES.

Mrs. A.—Your husband always dresses so quietly. Mrs. B.—He does not. You ought to hear him when he loses a collar button.

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, March 6.—OATS—Canadian western No. 2, 55c to 57 1/2c; Canadian western No. 3, 51c to 51 1/2c; extra No. 1 feed 52c to 52 1/2c; No. 2 local white, 50 1/2c to 51c; No. 3 local white, 49 1/2c to 50c; No. 4, local white, 48 1/2c to 49c. FLOUR—Manitoba spring wheat patents, 55.75; seconds, 55.50; strong bakers, 55.00; winter patents, choice, 55.10 to 55.25; straight rollers, 54.65 to 54.75; straight rollers, bags, 52.15 to 52.25. MILFEES—Bran, 25c; shorts, 27c; middlings, 29c; moultie, 30c to 34c. HAY—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$15 to \$15.50. POTATOES—Per bag, car lots, \$1.65 to \$1.70.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Dufferin. Joe Page, Montreal; B D Shaffner, Bridgetown; Mr and Mrs O R Parquet, Master Barle W Partique, Norton; W R Pinson, Bangos; C W McDougall, Sussex; Geo A Munroe, Halifax; Dr H I Taylor, St George; J A Hamilton, Preston; J A LeBlanc, Montreal; Mrs Frank L Doyle, Montreal; H T Warner, B M Goldsmith, Digby, Park.

D D Porter, Medetic; L J Nicholson, Halifax; J W White, Moncton; O E White, L Dennis, Yarmouth; H B Hanes, Jas Steele, A S Huley, F Christie, L P Brownell, Halifax; J Simons, P Moody, K J Barker, F James, Boston; R Fredericksen, Miss Morris, Mrs J C Hav, Montreal; R Thomas, J Warwick, F Lang, Winnipeg; J Griseley, Mrs J Griseley, H Kendall, Calgary; O Kane, J I Fowler, P J Marr, J C Feder, J Smith and wife, New York.

E. G Silverman, Montreal; R Lowell, Toronto; F Danford, Montreal; C S Everett, St Andrews; M J Shallow, Boston; T A Wakefield, New York; W Currie, Vancouver; A B Meserian, Seattle; A L Pearson, Boston; T J McKenna, N W Latta, Montreal.

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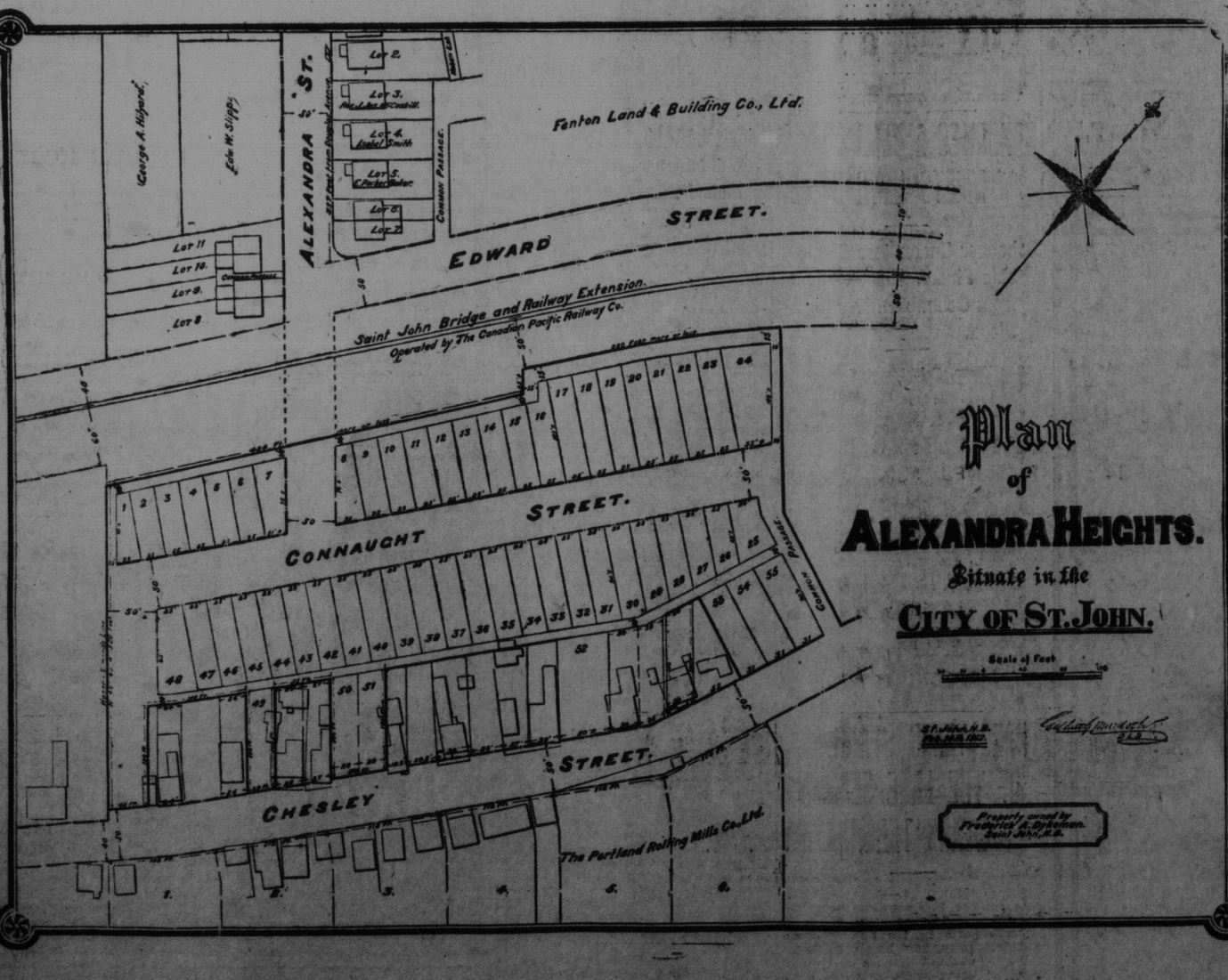
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Victoria. Andrew Moore, Petticoat; J E Humphreys, do; James R Brown, Wilson's Beach; Geo A Shaver, Montreal; A L Hoyt, McAdam Jet; Edward Chitick, Lepressat; Andrew Kennell, do; L D Shatner, Bridgetown; J A McIsaac, Halifax; J F Taylor, do; W J Cooney, Megantic; W E Dean, Musquash; E G Longley, Bridgetown; T M Carpenter, Wickham; George A Cox, Halifax; J L Chisholm, do; A W Carpenter, Queenstown; Hugh R Lawrence, St George; G P Boulton, Sussex.

As To Spoons. So Billy Jones and Daisy Juniper were married at last, eh? Yep. Worst case of spoons you ever saw. Well, why not? That's the way it ought to be. You wouldn't have it case of knives, would you? They got 17 dozen dessert, 4 dozen soups, 15 sets of coffees, 8 dozen tables and 32 salads.

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A Land Investment of Real Merit. "Not near the City," but within the City and within 450 feet of the Street Railway Line. This property is situated in one of the most desirable and fashionable residential districts of the City.

In keeping with its locality, all of the Streets have been given a Royal name, Connaught having had the sanction of His Royal Highness the Governor-General as indicated by the accompanying letter:—

15th February, 1912. Dear Sir,—I am desirous by the Governor-General to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 13th instant, and to inform you in reply that His Royal Highness is pleased to sanction your request as regards naming the street in question after him. Yours faithfully, (Signed) ARTHUR F. GLADEN, Private Secretary.

To F. A. Dykeman, Esq., 59 Charlotte St., St. John, N.B. An extract from the Daily Telegraph of Tuesday, February 22, 1912, reads: "The most important development in the City yesterday was the decision of the Street Railway Co. to make Douglas Avenue Line to Lancaster the main thoroughfare at the completion of the new bridge, with transfers on all other branches."

It is an historic fact that the growth of nearly all cities have been Westward, consequently you may look for immense development in that direction from St. John. This property then, being on the main thoroughfare of the Street Railway will, with the rapid development of Fairville and Lancaster, be one of the most valuable and residential spots within the city limits.

This particular piece of land which comprises 55 building lots, is an elevated plateau on a level with Douglas Avenue, overlooking the roofs of the houses of Chesley St., and giving a most magnificent view from three points of the compass, while the fourth point looks on to Douglas Ave. This locality will have three accesses, one from an overhead bridge, a continuation of Alexandra St., another from Chesley St., and another from Bentley St.

The difference in these building lots and other building lots being advertised are these:— First—Close to the Street Railway. Second—Sewerage and water within 125 feet of every one of the lots. Third—Attractive view. Fourth—They are right in the heart of the growing district.

None of these features can be claimed by other properties. It can only be said of the majority of them that such and such things may be, but here are valuable facts that already exist. These lots will be sold at \$250.00 each up. 10 per cent down and balance in monthly instalments, making it possible for anyone to invest, no matter how small his income may be. If it is desired to pay all down, 5 per cent off for cash. We venture the assertion that there is not a more delightful view to be had anywhere in the city limits than from Alexander Heights. The land is level, the boys having used it for years for a ball ground. Plans Can Be Seen at the Office of J. W. KIERSTED, Insurance and Real Estate Agent, Robinson Building, Market Square

"SALT RHEUM"

Had It On Hands For Two Years. ITCHED SO DID NOT KNOW WHAT TO DO.

Tried Three Doctors and Went to Hospital.

All skin diseases are more or less accompanied by a bad state of the blood... Burdock Blood Bitters...

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Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Thousands of unsolicited and genuine testimonials like the above prove the efficiency of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound...

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APIOL & STEEL. APIOL & STEEL PILLS. For the oftentimes leading remedy for all kinds of constipation...

TO CROSS AT OAK POINT

Delegation Waits on Premier Fleming and Are Met With Assurances of Consideration of Proposals.

Oak Point, Kings Co., March 4, 1912. To the Editor of The Standard: Sir—A delegation representing both political parties from the Parish of Greenwich, Kings Co., waited on the premier...

"Hon. and Dear Sir:—This delegation wishes to place before you today our reasons in favor of crossing the St. John river at Oak Point with the Valley railway...

As to industries other than agriculture, which we all wish to enhance, we wish to say that there is a very excellent water power one mile west of Oak Point...

On behalf of this delegation, I have the honor to remain, Very sincerely yours, G. B. PICKETT.

WHITE'S COVE NOTES. White's Cove, Mar. 4.—Henry Duroal who has been laid up with rheumatism for some days, is able to be out again.

Dr. Hing, A. Farris left for New York last Monday. John Orchard, a former resident of this place, but now of Apohaqui, spent a few days here last week.

Bernard Kelley, of White's Point has been in poor health for some weeks, but is a little better. Geo. Slocum, of city market, and O. S. Dykeman, of Simonds street, were here buying produce last week.

How to Kill 199,000,000,000,000,000,000 Flies with One Swat



To the lives of the people of the United States would be added 170,000,000 years or 4,900,000 lives to the present average length; and \$20,000,000,000 would be saved if the musca domestica was as extinct as the dodo.

BISHOP'S COLLEGE DOING A VERY IMPORTANT WORK FOR THE CANADIAN BOYS

Bishop's College School at Lennoxville, P. Q., worked on the lines of the great public schools of England, has devoted itself for close upon seventy years to training the boys of Canada...

The school was first opened in the village of Lennoxville by the Rev. Lucius Doolittle, rector of Sherbrooke and Lennoxville, and was moved to its present site in 1860, in 1842 Mr. Edward Chapman, M. A. of Calus College, Cambridge, became its headmaster.

1867-70—Rev. R. H. Walker, M. A., Wadhams College, Oxford, previously professor of mathematics at Sandhurst, England.

1870-75—Rev. C. H. Badgley, M. A., Queen's College, Oxford, previously headmaster of Trinity College School, Port Hope.

1875-79—Rev. P. C. Reid, M. A., Lincoln College, Oxford.

1879-83—Rev. I. Brock, M. A., Queen's College, Oxford.

1883-85—Rev. J. A. Lobley, M. A., D.C.L., Trinity College Cambridge.

1885-91—Rev. T. Adams, M. A., D.C.L., St. John's College, Cambridge, who was the last of the rectors.

1891-93—H. J. H. Petry, M. A., D. C. L.

1893-99—Rev. E. J. Bidwell, M. A., D. C. L., Wadhams College, Oxford.

1899-10—Rev. W. D. Standfast, B. A., Jesus College, Oxford.

1910—J. Tyson Williams, B. A., Emmanuel College, Cambridge, the present headmaster.

The old school has turned out many famous men, and in a speech made at the Old Boys' Reunion dinner in Montreal by Dr. Peiry, a former and very popular headmaster, reference was made to the general, the admiral, the church dignitaries, the leaders in the medical and legal professions, and the captains of industry...

Bishop's College school has a great record. It has great traditions, it has always taught that truthfulness is essential to the character of a gentleman, that courage, moral and physical discipline is essential to true greatness.

Today the school is carrying on the work begun so long ago. The great traditions which have been handed down are kept constantly in view, and there is an earnest desire among the present boys to live up to these traditions...

Save yourself the trouble of killing her descendants this summer. Swat, swat, swat, the boys and girls are swatting. Ma and Pa are also swatting round. Swat, swat, swat, keep right on with your swatting—Some day we shall live in Flyless Town!

HOW TO DESTROY THE DANDRUFF GERM

BY A SPECIALIST.

That the dandruff germ is responsible for nearly all the diseases to which the scalp is heir, as well as for baldness and premature gray hair, is a well known fact, but when we realize that it is also indirect cause for many of the worst cases of eczema and consumption, we appreciate the importance of any agent that will destroy its power.

Under the banner of religion it has taught that religion is manly and that true manliness is of the nature of religion; that reverence is nobler than indifference. It has endeavored to follow in the lines set by that great school master, Arnold of Rugby, who believed in trusting his boys and establishing a confidence between the masters and boys.

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Ladies!

Your attention is called to our display of SPRING SAMPLE SUITS and SKIRTS

There will be great reductions from the 3rd to the 17th of February, only. Come at once and have the best value.

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needs. It has suffered in the past from want of endowment, but a whirlwind campaign has been organized to raise \$250,000 for this purpose. The hearts of all old boys will go out to the school at the present time, and there is no doubt that it will receive the hearty and loyal support of every old Lennoxville "boy," and inspired by love and gratitude, boys and their friends will contribute liberally, and thus make it possible for the school to become a greater power for good in the country than it has been even in the past. The secretary of the general committee is G. Herbert Carter, Esq., 218 Notre Dame street West, Montreal, who will be glad to hear from old boys.

Tisdale Place

Rush for Choice Lots As Great as Ever

St. John's Four Record-Breaking Days in Real Estate Transfers

THE OUTSIDERS ARE NOW BUYING, each mail brings a new batch of first-payment checks.

OUR OFFICE CROWDED ALL DAY yesterday with ladies and gentlemen purchasers and enquirers.

LARGE TOURING AUTO FREE for all who desire to see the property. Out and back in less than half an hour.

PLANS MARKED UP TO THE MINUTE, showing lots sold and reserved sent to outside enquirers.

THE TWO-YEAR PAYMENT PLAN is a great help to the buyer of moderate means. Hence big sales.

IN ONLY FOUR DAYS OF SELLING some of the lots have been re-sold at substantial profits.

REMEMBER TISDALE PLACE is not a week old yet and over 100 lots have been sold already.

DON'T WAIT FOR THE SPRING rush for these lots, buy now before warm weather sets in.

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BUY NOW!

CONCERNING HEALTH and BEAUTY

By MRS. HENRY SYMES

ICE TREATMENT



To Produce Firm Flesh.

part of the body an application of ice is used with success; but if the pain be very severe and continues, it is best to call in a physician or the patient may suffer great harm from unprofessional treatment.

If the eyes are congested from weeping, eyestrain or from dust being blown into them, a compress wet with tea water will relieve the pain more quickly than anything else. It will scatter the congested blood in the eyelids and remove all traces of tears. Ice can be used freely for external treatment, but beware of taking it into the stomach unless ordered by a physician in cases of fever, and then only in very small quantities.



To Relieve Congestion.



Ice Will Close The Pores.

HOT water to open the pores of the skin, and cold water to close them quickly, has for years been the method prescribed by beauty specialists.

The very newest—and let me add that it is considered the best treatment for beautifying the skin—is to use ice after a hot bath.

To cleanse and beautify the face, for example, it is first washed with warm water, then a good cleansing cream is applied and a thorough massage given. The cream is all wiped off with a soft cloth and with it comes the dirt collected in the pores; then the face is steamed. This opens the pores and causes them to emit all remaining dirt or grime. The face is dried and a small lump of ice is quickly passed over every particle of skin.

The sudden chill closes every pore immediately and leaves the skin soft and rosy with a flush of health and beauty on its satiny surface. This sudden closing of the pores prevents them from ever becoming enlarged; besides, it brings the blood to the surface and causes a quick reaction and circulation of blood in the tissues directly beneath the epidermis.

The neck and chest are treated in exactly the same manner as the face. Massage gives a full rounded throat and beautifully molded chest, while the ice rub insures a quick reaction of the skin, besides being an excellent remedy to protect a tender throat subject to frequent colds, sore throat and tonsillitis.

After a hot bath the arms should be quickly and lightly rubbed over with a lump of ice to give firm flesh and insure lovely rounded arms and beautiful, white shoulders.

Ice is a valuable remedy for many ills. A severe headache can be cured very quickly by filling an ice cap or a rubber hot-water bottle with small pieces of ice and applying it to the top of the head. Let it remain until the chill has sent the superfluous blood away from the brain and your head will ache no more. For pain caused by congestion in any



The Ice Bag For Headache.

BEAUTY QUERIES ANSWERED

REPPLIES to letters sent to the writer of this department will be printed in regular order; but no replies in print may be expected in less than three or four weeks.

Correspondents desiring immediate replies to queries may get them by enclosing a stamped self-addressed envelope. Personal inquiries will receive prompt attention if accompanied by a stamped and addressed envelope.

Dry and Scaly Skin

Dear Mrs. Symes: Will you kindly advise me what is good for a dry skin? I have used every remedy I can find, but it becomes dry and scaly shortly after. I have stopped using talcum powder. MARY JANE.

Your skin is evidently in need of oil. Do not use soap on it, but cleanse it with a cream. Once or twice a day apply olive oil to the face. I am glad you have discontinued using powder, for this no doubt only added to the trouble.

A Skin Bleach

Dear Mrs. Symes: Will you kindly give me the recipe for a good skin bleach. MILDRED.

A teaspoonful of the tincture of benzoin to an ounce of rosewater forms a well-known lotion which is excellent for whitening the skin.

The Depilatory

Dear Mrs. Symes: The preparation that you published some time ago for the removal of superfluous hairs (tendrils of nose and chin) removes them permanently if it is used constantly upon the reappearance of the hair?

The preparation will not remove the hair permanently. The electric needle is the only thing that will have such an effect.

An Eyelash Grower

Dear Mrs. Symes: Will you kindly tell me what I can do to make my eyelashes grow longer and darker? I have a thin and slender figure.

but my face is very full. What can I do to reduce the flesh on it?

A BEAUTY READER: To increase the growth of the eyelashes, rub a good quality of vaseline into the edge of the eyelids. Be careful that none of it gets into the eyes. Nothing can be done to darken the eyelashes permanently. A dye or stain can be procured for temporary effects. Anything you might do to reduce the face would tend to reduce the rest of the body. As you are generally slender, I do not think it advisable to make the features bold and light-fitting collars, which always make one's face look stouter than it really is. Dress your hair in a manner that will not broaden your face.

Thick Lips

Dear Mrs. Symes: Will you kindly inform me through your columns how to reduce thick lips? Also tell me what can be done to reduce a very broad nose. ANXIOUS.

Nothing can be done to reduce lips which are naturally thick. Nor can the breadth of the nose be changed. If you will carefully examine your features, however, you will find that nature has made these parts large to correspond with the rest of your features. Therefore, a reduction in their size would be likely to make you look ridiculous.

Tonics

To MRS. H.—Both of the remedies you refer to are proprietary articles; therefore I cannot discuss their merits. I advise you to consult a first-class physician and have him prescribe a tonic. It is necessary for him to find out just what you need. Never take a medicine that has not been prescribed by an authority. This precaution will prevent any harmful effects.

Blackheads in Nose and Chin

My nose and chin are covered with blackheads. Will you give me a remedy for them? BLUE EYES.

The following treatment will drive the blackheads away. Cleanse the skin with hot water; good soap and a complexion

brush. Rinse and dry and then rub in the cream made of the following:

Sweet oil of almonds 2 ounces
Orange-flower water 2 ounces
White wax 4 drams
Oil of sweet almond 1 dram
Spermaceti 1 dram

Put all in a saucuppan with boiling water, stand a few days in the sun. Strain and add to the jar. Let it dissolve. Heat almond oil and add to the wax. Heat orange-flower water; add it last a teaspoonful at a time, stirring the mixture quickly. Lift the jar out of the saucuppan. Beat mixture with the whisk. Heat and add oil of sweet almond. White cream will be cold. Put in pot and cover with parchment.

Diet has a great effect on the skin, and immoderate eating will cause blackheads. Be sure to avoid those things which do not agree with you.

Blemishes on Arms and Legs

Dear Mrs. Symes: Can you tell me the reason for red lumps on the arms and legs? Is olive oil good for them? A HAPPY BRIDE.

The little lumps are probably due to the condition of the blood. The circulation may not be very good; therefore little dots form. Olive oil rubbed into the skin will prove helpful. The massage is just as necessary as the oil, if not more so.

The other question given in your letter is entirely outside of my province. The advertising columns of this paper should be consulted.

Blonde Hair, Dark Lashes

Dear Mrs. Symes: I am a decided blonde, but my eyebrows and eyelashes are coal black. Is this a sign of beauty? X. Y. Z.

While such a condition may or may not add beauty, it certainly gives one a distinctive charm. Such a contrast is unusual and for this reason it is very attractive.

Bust Developer

Dear Mrs. Symes: Please publish a recipe for the quickest and most successful bust developer.

The development cannot take place in a day, but by persistent efforts the size

will increase in a very short time. Massage the bust with cocoa butter every day and practice deep breathing. Be sure to fill the lungs to their utmost.

Pads

Dear Mrs. Symes: Reading of the help you give others, I thought probably you could give me a little information, and an advice, and should like to know if there is a place where pads for the legs are sold? PRICELY LADY.

At any place where theatrical supplies or costumes are sold or rented you will be able to get pads.

To gain flesh, take raw eggs in milk three times a day. One egg in a glass of milk is the proper dose.

Hair Falls Out

Dear Mrs. Symes: I am a girl 21 years of age. Every time I comb my hair it comes out in bunches. I have used a tonic, which did not help it at all. Please tell me what to do to make it thick and long. A BLONDE.

Ill health is often the cause of falling hair. If you are not in the best condition

ADVICE ON SOCIAL CUSTOMS

Mrs. Helen Adams
single cordially invites her friends to a party to her home, Social, Theaters and Restaurants by letter at any time.

MEN'S VISITING CARDS

PERHAPS you are going to order visiting cards for your brother, father or husband. If so, let me suggest a few important points to be observed. First of all, a gentleman's card is smaller than a lady's. The fine quality of board and script should be preserved.

The title of Mr. is never omitted unless the junior or senior be added to a man's name. Any contractions, such as Bob, Jack, etc., are in very bad form. The first name of a man should always be used. If the middle name is too long, the initial can be placed on the card. The first name should not be abbreviated. "Mr. William H. Long" is far more dignified than "Mr. W. Harold Long."

The eldest male member of a family may omit his first name from the card and simply use the family name with the prefix Mr.; as, "Mr. Chamberlain."

If a bachelor reside at a club permanently, he has the name of the club in the lower right-hand corner. It is not permissible for a business address to appear on a visiting card.

In our country we cannot be too conservative or sparing in the use of titles, the president and vice president of the higher courts, officers of the army and navy, physicians and clergymen are permitted to use the titles of their respective offices. Otherwise, men should be modestly content with the Mr. before their names on social cards. In the army it is generally admitted that no officer of rank lower than captain shall use any title but Mr. A lieutenant's card should read, "Mr. Henry Clarendon," with "United States Army" in the right-hand corner. Above the rank of lieutenant, the officer places before his name Captain, Major, Colonel, etc., and signifies in the corner whether his command is in the cavalry, engineering corps, artillery, etc.

The professional card of a physician should be distinct from his social card. It should have Dr. before his name or M. D. after it. On it should be his house address in the right-hand corner and his office hours. On his social card his title appears as on his business card; also his address.

A clergyman's card is engraved thus: Reverend Samuel B. Jones. Sometimes the title is abbreviated.

With these facts in mind, I shall depend on you to help all doubting men in the very important matter of arranging for their visiting cards.

Solutions to Social Problems

Removing Her Wraps

DEAR Mrs. Adams: I wish to know the proper time for a girl card to remove her wraps in the theater. Where should the knife or fork be laid when not in use? I have often received and seen letters which terminate with the date written in full after the signature. I should like to know in what kind of a letter this is permissible? PERPLEXED.

1. She may remove and check them in the cloakroom before advancing to her seat. 2. She does not intend to check them, she may remove them before the play begins. It is most unkind and impolite for one to disturb her fellow-men by removing her wraps after the curtain has been raised.

3. When not in active service the knife and fork must remain resting wholly on the plate.

4. In social letters the date and address are frequently written at the lower left-hand corner of a letter.

Answering an Invitation

DEAR Mrs. Adams: How soon should an invitation to a wedding be answered if I am not able to attend? When it is written in the third person, how should it be answered? Please give me form. READERS.

If the invitation bears the letters R. S. V. P., it should be answered immediately. It is not necessary to send a written reply to a wedding invitation that does not include cards for a

breakfast or luncheon at the home of the bride. Cards to witness a large church wedding only need no reply. If one has been invited to a home wedding which is followed by a reception, she need make no written reply if she expects to attend. If it is impossible for one to be present, the invitation must be promptly acknowledged, by posting or sending by hand the day of the marriage, two visiting cards addressed to the bride's parents.

An invitation is always answered in the same form in which it is written. Thus, one invited in the third person would be answered in the following manner:

Mr. and Mrs. John Black regret their inability to join the kind invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. White to the wedding of their daughter, on Thursday afternoon, March 14th, at four o'clock.

Crumbling Crackers

DEAR Mrs. Adams: If we were entertaining at dinner and one of the guests would crumble the crackers in his soup, should either the host or hostess be the one to relieve the guest from embarrassment? ANXIOUS HOSTESS.

The politest way to treat such a condition would be to ignore it entirely.

Dress for the Groom

DEAR Mrs. Adams: When an evening wedding is celebrated in the church and the bride wears her traveling suit, is it proper for the groom to wear a plain black suit with black coat? They go from the church directly to the train. What kind of hat, vest, tie and gloves should he wear? If the bride should have the parents defray the expense of conveyance from the house to the church, should the groom be given presents if there are no other attendants? At such a wedding, what kind of flowers should the groom give the bride? The fact that you go directly to the train from the church should settle your question. The groom may wear his black street suit and gray vest, including the derby hat, a vest of the suit material or one of fancy vesting; a four-in-hand tie and gray gloves.

It is quite proper to do so if the groom is inclined.

The groom may give the bride a modest bouquet of her favorite flowers.

A Popular Man

DEAR Mrs. Adams: With her best to attend a man to devote all his time and attention to her what steps do you think I should take? BLUE EYES.

If you are engaged to the young man, you can have a frank talk about the matter. If he is merely a friend who is frequently in your company, you can do nothing to interfere with the girl's name. Captain, Major, Colonel, etc., and signifies in the corner whether his command is in the cavalry, engineering corps, artillery, etc.

To Make Known the Address

DEAR Mrs. Adams: I am not going to have a large wedding. Will you please let me know how I can let my friends know what the address should be? PERPLEXED.

Included with the announcement card should be a card bearing the address in the following manner:

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Black after the first at 1234 Street

Place Cards

DEAR Mrs. Adams: What purpose do place cards serve? A large place card is used to designate the guests' places at the table. They may be simple white ones or elaborate ones, beautifully decorated in watercolor.

A Birthday Gift

DEAR Mrs. Adams: Will it be proper for me to give my employer a birthday gift? He has always been so kind to me that I feel like doing something in return. HIS STENOGRAPHER.

As your dealings with him are of a business nature, it would be much better for you not to introduce the social element. Your faithfulness and conscientious good work are sufficient return for his kindness.

Served First

DEAR Mrs. Adams: At a luncheon who should be served first, the hostess or the guest of honor? THE GUEST OF HONOR.

The guest of honor should be served first. The hostess is not served until last of all the persons seated at the table.

Hats at a Wedding

DEAR Mrs. Adams: At a church wedding, with whom does the mother of the bride walk to her seat? LILA.

Yes, the usher, who gives her his arm while leading her to a seat.

What to Wear

DEAR Mrs. Adams: I am to attend my brother-in-law's wedding in the near future. My husband is to be best man. It is not decided whether it will be a church or home wedding. What would be suitable to wear to either? I am a CONSTANT READER.

The time rather than the place is the

thing which decides the dress. If the wedding takes place in the afternoon, an elaborate afternoon gown should be worn, or a good-looking coat suit with bloomers to match would be proper. At a wedding performed after 6 o'clock in the evening, an evening gown is the proper attire.

Registering

DEAR Mrs. Adams: Is it necessary for a wife to accompany her husband to the desk when a card is being registered in a hotel? A READER.

No. She should wait for him in the parlor or reception room until all arrangements have been made by him.

Time to Send the Gifts

DEAR Mrs. Adams: My in-laws gift friend has told me the date of her marriage, but as it has not been made public, I wonder whether it would be all right to send her a gift now? TWENTY.

It would be quite proper for you to send your friend a gift any time, since she has informed you of the date.

An Engaged Man

DEAR Mrs. Adams: There is a young man who lives very far away from here. Would it be all right for me to call on him in this city or to take them to pieces of entertainment? A READER.

Your fiancée's wishes should be your first consideration. If she is willing no objection can be made.

Sending Announcements

DEAR Mrs. Adams: The bridegroom supposed to send announcements to his friends or is the bride the one who has this privilege? MARRIED.

The bride's family sends out all the announcements. The bridegroom makes out a list of friends whom he wishes to inform of his marriage and gives it to the bride's mother, who adds the names to her own list.

A Long Call

DEAR Mrs. Adams: There is a young man who calls quite frequently on me to enjoy his society, but he remains later than I think is proper. Would it be all right for me to call his attention to the fact? A READER.

You might inform him you do not care to entertain callers after a certain time. If he hears your opinion, he will certainly do better in the future. Do not ever write letters to him. You will have to tell him frankly your wishes in the matter.

Leaving the Street Car

DEAR Mrs. Adams: Let me know whether a woman should let the street car driver know when he is accompanying a man? A READER.

Yes, so that he may assist her to alight from the car.

Introducing Guests

DEAR Mrs. Adams: Who brings her properties to you. A certain boy has been very attentive to me. I would like to dance with him. Another girl, who I know getting him to take her to places of entertainment. Should I cut my friendship with her and the boy? I should like to act as my partner. Should I invite him to act as my partner? PERPLEXED.

Can you tell me how I should introduce a man to my friend? I have a friend whom I expect to have visiting me. I have a friend whom I expect to have visiting me. I have a friend whom I expect to have visiting me.

Table Manners

DEAR Mrs. Adams: There is a person whom I dislike very much because of her manner and talk. Will you tell me how I can get rid of her acquaintance without creating a scandal? MOLLIE.

Take no interest in the girl and keep away from her as much as possible. When you do come in contact with her, be courteous, but not too cordial. She will soon notice your coolness and will not bother you any more.

Stating the Time

DEAR Mrs. Adams: I am to attend a friend to spend Saturday and Sunday with me. Should I state the invitation how long? DOUBTFUL.

Yes, so that your guest and yourself will know what plans to make.

LOCAL ADVERTISING.

Hereafter the following charges will be made on reading notices inserted in The Standard: Church Notices, Sunday Services, 5c. per line of six words. Church Concerts, Church Festivals, Lodge Concerts and Notices, and all other notices of meetings, 10c. per line of six words. Double rates for back page.

NO MORE FREE LOCALS.

AROUND THE CITY

Wanted. Waitress and Chambermaid at Victoria Hotel.

Famous Women.

A meeting of the St. John High School Alumni Reading Club will be held Thursday, March 14th, at the residence of Mrs. Murdoch, subject, "Famous Women."

Dominion Lodge Visited.

The official visit of the county officers of the Orange Lodge, to the Dominion Lodge No. 141, in their rooms on Simonds street on Tuesday evening proved a success. Over 100 of the members were present and a very enjoyable programme of addresses and music was carried out.

Mrs. J. H. A. Fairweather.

The many friends of Mrs. J. H. A. Fairweather will hear with surprise and regret of her sudden death which occurred last evening about 7 o'clock at her home Rothsey. The deceased lady was taken ill only last Saturday. She was formerly Miss Taylor of Fredericton and is survived by her husband, two children and her mother and sister, to whom sincere sympathy will be felt in their sad and sudden bereavement.

City Hall Improvements.

The city fathers are making arrangements to have City Hall fitted up for the accommodation of the commission and the transaction of the business of greater St. John. A filing cabinet containing several thousand drawers is being placed in the vault of the Common Clerk's office, and it is understood the vault will be made fire-proof. The city engineer's staff have been taking measures with a view of making an estimate of the cost of installing an elevator in City Hall.

West End Liquor Cases.

In the police court yesterday afternoon James Atchison, of St. John street, West End, was charged with having liquor on his premises. The defendant pleaded not guilty, and stated that he did not have the liquor for sale. The case will be heard again this afternoon at 2 o'clock. A charge of having liquor on her premises was preferred against Letitia Kane, the proprietress of the Winter Port restaurant on Union street, West End. The defendant was unable to appear in court owing to illness, and the case has been indefinitely adjourned.

Orr-Gibbons.

The marriage of George Frederick Orr to Miss Lucy Rose Gibbons took place last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Miller, 47 Broad street. Rev. H. A. Cody, pastor of St. James church, performed the ceremony. Miss Mary Burke acted as bridesmaid and Edward McLean supported the groom. Mr. Orr is an employe of the Union Club and a popular young man. The wedding service was attended by a large number of the friends of the young couple, and the wedding presents were numerous and handsome. Mr. and Mrs. Orr will reside in the city.

"Loafers" Resent Charge.

On Monday and Tuesday Policeman McCollom reported about a dozen men for being habitual loafers on the north side of the King Square, and the cases will be heard by the magistrate on Friday. It was reported yesterday that some of those reported have engaged counsel as they claim that they are not loafers. One man is said to have been there on his way to the country market to purchase a tub of butter. Another is a man who says that he has been in the city for many years, the father of a family, and is industrious and works almost regularly. Another is stated to be a property holder and does not class himself as a loafer. The officer, however, in making the report, thinks differently, and the cases promise to be rather interesting.

OPPORTUNITIES IN SEASON'S MILLINERY

Today ushers in the season's first authoritative opening of early spring millinery, which takes place at Marr's, as advertised on page two. Those fortunate enough to attend early will be able to make their selections from the largest, the most fascinating array of the season's millinery offerings ever witnessed here, presenting, as it does, an unparalleled opportunity for the choice of Easter hats from the leading fashion centres of two great continents. Marr's advertisement on page two gives (for lack of space), but a faint idea of the vastness and beauty of the display which can only be fully appreciated by personal inspection. As the most attractive creations will doubtless be snapped up quickly, only early attendance will ensure "best choice."

PERSONAL.

Stirling W. Stackhouse arrived on the Pacific express last evening from Amherst via Amherst. He is here on a short business trip. Mrs. J. A. Stackhouse arrived home last evening from Amherst where she has been visiting her son, Rev. P. J. Stackhouse. C. H. McLean returned yesterday morning from Boston.

SOBRIETY RUN MAYORALTY CANDIDATE.

Organizer of Party Says They Have Man in View to Head Commission Ticket - Other Possible Candidates.

At a meeting of the executive of the socialist party held last evening, it was decided to recommend the running of a candidate for the mayor's chair, and one candidate for the position of commissioner. A special meeting of the members of the party will be called in a few days to consider the recommendation. Asked who would be put up as a candidate for the mayoralty, the organizer of the socialist party said they had in mind a business man who had lived all his life in St. John, and who has been a socialist for many years, though he has never taken an active part in the movement here. "He has been prominent in the temperance movement here," added the organizer, "and if he will consent to run he ought to get the support of the temperance element."

Ald. Hayes, when asked if he would be a candidate for the commission, said he might consider the nomination if somebody would come along and buy out his business or guarantee to run it while he was in office. Otherwise he could not consider the idea of offering as a candidate.

In reply to a question, Ald. Scully said he expected to be in the field when the candidates lined up, as his friends were urging him to run.

"Will you run on the bridge?" "I expect to walk on it before many years," was the answer.

Ald. Elkin was asked yesterday if he intended to run, but he evaded the question. It is known his friends are urging him to run.

IMMIGRATION CONGRESS SHOULD BE SUCCESSFUL

Gathering in Fredericton on Friday to be Addressed by Noted Speakers - The Old Home Week Movement.

It is expected that a large delegation will go from St. John to Fredericton to attend the Immigration Congress, and if all those who have signified their intention of attending from other parts of the province turn up the congress should be a memorable one. One way fares good for three days have been arranged for, and it is expected many will take advantage to attend the opening of the legislature. Among the speakers at the congress will be S. L. Peters, Bishop Richardson, T. H. Estabrooks, N. C. Scott, C. N. Yocum, Donald James, C. Fred Chestnut and C. H. McIntyre. The committee of the St. John Board of Trade, which has been working to assure the success of the Congress, hope that the business men of St. John will show their recognition of the importance of taking measures to induce immigrants to locate in the province by attending the congress and assisting its deliberations.

Owing to the interest exhibited in the Immigration Congress the young men of the Board of Trade, who are organizing the back to New Brunswick for a week (and it is hoped for a lifetime for most of the exiles) movement have been resting on their oars for a day or two. In the past week, however, they have added 3,000 to the list of names of New Brunswickers abroad, making a list of over 6,000, who will be supplied with literature advertising the new New Brunswick, and the attractions which will be provided for the edification of visitors during the last week of June. The movement evidently appeals to New Brunswickers away from home. A reference to the scheme appeared in one of the Boston papers recently and as a result Secretary Anderson has been forwarded the names and addresses of hundreds of New Brunswickers living at the Hub. Yesterday he received one letter in which the writer gave the names and addresses of over 100 of his friends whom he thought would be glad to return during the old home week.

NEED OF SPIRIT OF EVANGELISM

Rev. C. P. Goodson, of New York, who in the last few years has been engaged in evangelistic work in that city, is here conducting a series of special services in the Portland Methodist church. The hall was packed and the audience displayed a keen interest in Mr. Goodson's discourse on the Work of the Individual in the Church.

The speaker expressed the opinion that the church of today though not lacking in organized method, fell far short of its possibilities for organized work. Evangelistic men, not evangelistic preachers, he said, are the most pressing necessity of modern Christianity.

This interesting series of meetings will be continued nightly for two weeks.

The seven acres of land which F. A. Dykeman, with others, purchased near Douglas Avenue, and giving out into building lots and are today being placed on the market. They have decided to call the place Alexander Heights and the central street, running through the lots, has been named Connaught street, the use of which name has received His Royal Highness' sanction. These lots occupy an elevated plateau directly to the south of Douglas Avenue, and giving a suburban view of the Harbor, Bay and the east and west sides of the city. The lots are being sold at such attractive prices and on such easy terms that no doubt they will be picked up in a very short space of time.

SLIGHT BLAZES ON WESTMORELAND ROAD AND ALBION ST. WAREHOUSE - RESIDENCE ON RIVER ST. DESTROYED.

At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon fire was discovered on the roof of an unoccupied house, at 36 Westmoreland Road owned by Thomas Beamish. An alarm was sent in from box 421. The fire was on the roof and it only took the firemen but a short time to quench the flames. The damage done was not considerable.

Last night about 3:15 an alarm was sent from box 62 for a fire in the cotton mill warehouse on Albion street. The warehouse had been badly damaged some time ago and was under repair yesterday. The fire started in some shavings and rubbish in the corner of a shed. The flames broke out through the side of the buildings and the roof but were extinguished in a short time. The damage done to the building was not very great and there were no goods in the shed at the time of the fire. While responding to the alarm a shaft of No. 3 hose sled was broken as the sled was crossing the street, car tracks on the corner of Brussels and Union streets. While working at the fire District Engineer Charles Jackson was struck on the face by a stream of water and one of his eyes was severely injured. He was driven to the hospital and the injury attended to.

A disastrous fire started yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the residence of Samuel Hector, River street, North End. An alarm was speedily rung from box 121 and the North End fire-fighters were quickly on the ground, but were not able to save the building, which was completely destroyed. They put up a good fight however, and in their efforts to subdue the flames stretched 30 joints of hose. The all-out was rung at half past three.

How the fire started has not been ascertained, but those present at the time think the blaze originated in the hen house attached to the back of the main building and worked its way into the walls of the house. The flames had gained considerable headway before they were discovered and those in the house only had time to carry out only a few articles of furniture, as the fire spread so rapidly that the whole building quickly became enveloped in flames.

Among the things of value lost were a watch and several rings all of which belonged to Miss Hector. The house itself was not insured and proved a total loss.

A very peculiar incident in connection with the fire, was the miraculous escape of Nero, a large and much prized St. Bernard dog owned by Mr. Hector. When the fire was at its height, Nero was not to be seen, and it was feared that he had fallen a victim to the flames. But this proved not to be the case, as was discovered after all the house but flooring had been burned. It was then, when the fate of the dog seemed sealed, that one of the firemen had a surprising experience.

This man was employed in tearing up part of the floor when much to his surprise, a black and slightly burned canine crawled through the hole he had made and ran for the furniture pile in the middle of the street. The dog proved to be Nero who he once took up his duties as the guardian of his master's household effects. It was when he was acting in this capacity that a youngster undertook to tease him. When the youth departed he was a sadder and wiser boy. How the dog got under the house is not known. He escaped with only a few slight burns to show for his trying experience.

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MORE PROTESTS FROM SOCIALIST ORATOR

Speaker indignantly demands to know what good a Government is anyhow from Workman's Standpoint.

At the meeting of the Socialist party last evening, Orator Hyatt spoke on Democracy, criticising the views of John E. Cooper, editor of the Canadian Courier.

"Mr. Cooper," he said, "talked about the great things the Liberal governments of England and Canada have done for the workmen. But what do these tremendous reforms in England amount to? A workman has to get killed or injured before accident insurance is any good to him or his family. The average workman gets no good from old age pensions, because the average worker is dead at 37 years of age and a pension 23 years after he is dead isn't of much value."

"Mr. Cooper talked of the British government pandering to the working class. But he made no mention of the fact that from the time of Henry 8th to George 3rd the British government was busy passing legislation, taking the land and natural resources from the people and delivering them over to the classes."

"Mr. Cooper is indignant because the miners are taking a holiday. Does he want them to adopt the tactics of the suffragettes?"

F. A. Dykeman & Co. are showing a fine range of New Spring Dress Goods. Among the most attractive are those Quaker or Puritan Greys, which are moderately priced from 75 cents to \$1.25 a yard. Then the popular Scotch Tweeds are shown in large variety. These goods can be made up on their premises and now is the time to leave your order if you wish to have your suit for Easter. They are also showing a special lot of Black Silks, which are being sold as follows: 75 cent quality for 45 cents, and the 35 inch width at 25 cents, which is the regular \$1.25 quality.

Gold Fish. W. and K. Pedersen, 49 Charlotte street have received a fine lot of gold fish which they are selling at extremely low prices. They have also on hand a special display of cut flowers which will be sold at reduced prices for the remainder of the week.

Wire Goods for the Kitchen. There is a great difference in wire goods. Some are made of light gauge, poorly-turned wire which sell at a low price and last for a very short time. Others are made from strong, heavy well-turned wire, which will last for years, won't rust and will give the greatest satisfaction. We handle the best quality, including Soap Shakers, Broilers, Cake Coolers, Gravy Strainers, Egg Beaters, Pot Cleaners, Dish Drainers, Toasters, Cream Whips, Kitchen Forks. W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd. Market Square and King Street.

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Early Spring Sale of Curtains

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This will be found the largest variety of curtains we have ever placed on sale. Nottingham, Novelty Lace, Irish Point, Battenburg, Marie Antoinette and Scrim Curtains, 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 yard lengths at money saving figures. In the lot are curtains suitable for every room in the house, from parlor to attic, but the quantities in each design are limited, so an early selection is advisable. Our curtain sales take a prominent place in St. John home economies and this event will be no exception, as a glance at the following prices will show. NOTTINGHAM CURTAINS, single and double borders, 3 yards, 3 1-2 yards long. Sale prices, pair 75c. to \$5.50. NOVELTY LACE CURTAINS, single borders only, lengths 2 1-2 and 3 yards. Sale prices, pair \$2.00 to \$6.50. IRISH POINT CURTAINS, in white, cream and ecru; single and double borders, 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 yards long. Sale prices, pair \$2.25 to \$12.00. BATTENBURG CURTAINS, white and Arabian shades, single and double borders, lengths 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 yards. Sale prices, pair \$3.75 to \$12.00. MARIE ANTOINETTE CURTAINS, single and double borders, length 3 yards. Sale prices, pair \$5.00 to \$10.00. SCRIM CURTAINS, in Guipure d'Art style or with insertion and trimming. Sale prices, pair \$2.25 to \$10.00. ODD CURTAINS, in all the above lines, comprising but one pair to a design. Sale prices, pair 75c. to \$1.00. Sale will start at 8.30 in Curtain Department - Second Floor.

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